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## SHERMAN'S BODY WILL BE LAID TO REST TOMORROW

Unostentatious Funeral Services, Compatible With High Office, Arranged.

## TAFT AND CABINET TO ATTEND

Remains Will Lie in State at Oneida County Courthouse at Utica This Afternoon and Evening—Official Washington Mourns.

Utica, N. Y., Nov. 1.—All political rallies scheduled for this city and vicinity, which for the past few days have been the center of the up-state activities of the Democratic and Progressive parties, were hushed out of respect to Vice-President James S. Sherman, who is dead at his home here.

Utica is in deep mourning for her most distinguished citizen.

The most unostentatious funeral services compatible with Mr. Sherman's high position have been arranged. There will be a private service tomorrow morning in the Sherman home on Genesee street for the immediate members of the deceased's family, and at two o'clock tomorrow afternoon public services will be held in the First Presbyterian church of Utica. They will be conducted jointly by Doctor Holden, pastor of the Reformed Dutch church of Washington, of which Mr. Sherman was treasurer, and Dr. M. W. Stryker, president of Hamilton college, of which he was an alumnus. The body will lie in state at the Oneida county courthouse from three o'clock this afternoon until nine o'clock at night. Interment will be made in Forest Hill cemetery in the family plot. The pall bearers will be intimate friends whom the vice-president selected before his death.

Messages of condolence have been arriving at the Sherman home all day from all quarters of this country and from Europe.

Official Washington Mourns Death. Washington, Nov. 1.—All official Washington and the thousands of friends of the late Vice-President Sherman mourn his death at the capital city of the nation, where he was so well and affectionately known.

The president issued a proclamation taking official notice of the death of Mr. Sherman, and giving instructions to the navy, army and American diplomatic corps to pay honor to the memory of the dead vice-president.

The president and the cabinet will, of course, attend the funeral. By the instructions of the proclamation, the American flag will be displayed all around the world at half-mast during the funeral ceremonies and until sunset of the day of the obsequies.

At every naval station, on board every battleship and on all ships a salute of nineteen guns will be fired, beginning at the hour fixed for the funeral service. For thirty days officers of the military establishments will wear mourning badges on sword and uniform.

## SENATORS INFORMED OF DEATH.

Senator Bacon, president pro-tem. of the senate, announced the death of Mr. Sherman to all senators, and the sergeant-at-arms of the senate sent to them a copy of the proclamation of the president. The house will be represented by a committee which has been selected. The senators and representatives will meet in New York and by arrangements to be made there by the sergeant-at-arms of the senate, the statesmen will be taken to Utica by special train.

A great many of the judges of this district will attend the funeral. All the courts from the United States Supreme court down adjourned out of respect to the event of the vice-president's death.

## MUSIC PUBLISHED TOMORROW.

The Telegraph will resume its Saturday musical supplements tomorrow with a modern arrangement of "The Song of the Sea." This appealing song from one of the most famous operas will never grow old, and the arrangement which will be published tomorrow evening is one of the most complete and harmonious published.

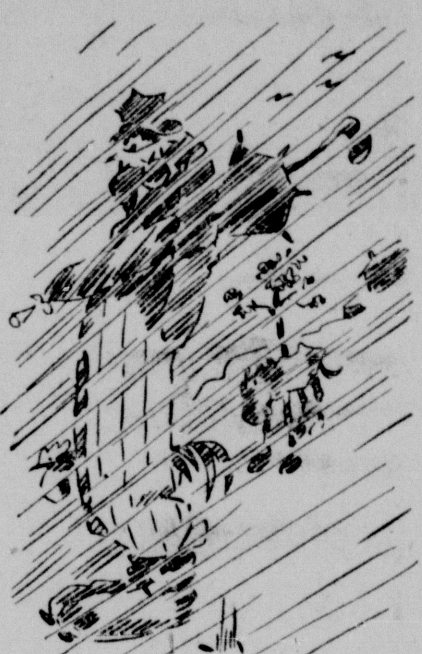
## FIRST SNOW TODAY.

The first snow of the winter of 1912-13 fell this morning with the advent of Nov. 1, a small flurry of an hour's duration, reminding Dixonites that Indian summer is past and that Jack Frost and Winter will soon be "in our midst."

## SON IS BORN.

A son weighing eight pounds was born Wednesday evening to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Petit of 115 Patrick's court.

## ABE MARTIN



You'd naturally think a neighbor with a tourin' car would ask you 'ride occasionally jist t' make it run easier. Th' ole fashioned girl that could sew is a thing of the past.

## VERY LITTLE DAMAGE DONE LAST EVENING

WET WEATHER DAMPENED ARDOR OF YOUNG AMERICA—POLICE KEPT WATCH.

The rain of yesterday afternoon and evening accompanied one very good result, if it did nothing more, and that was to dampen the ardor of young Americans who believe there is a lot of fun in destroying property on Halloween. Police reports show that very little damage was done during the night. Of course a number of wooden sidewalks were torn up and several outbuildings were overturned, but the amount of mischief done was considerably below the average. During the early evening the officers who were patrolling the residence districts frightened off several crowds of young celebrators before they accomplished any damage; and some merchants found the store windows streaked with tallow when they came to work this morning.

## MEMORIAL SERVICE FOR VICE-PRES. SHERMAN

LADS AND LASSIES AT OPERA HOUSE TO HOLD SERVICE—REV. CRISMAN TO OFFER A PRAYER.

The company playing Lads and Lassies at the Dixon opera house the last half of this week received a letter from Chicago this morning telling of a nation wide memorial service that will be held by vaudeville players all over the country on Saturday night in memory of the late Vice President James Schoolcraft Sherman.

The company playing at the local theatre will interrupt their sketch tomorrow night long enough to hear a prayer that will be offered by Rev. Crissman of this city, and the players will sing, "Nearer My God to Thee" and other appropriate songs. The national colors will decorate the stage.

## TEACHERS' EXAMINATION

Five candidates for teachers' certificates took a teachers' examination at County Superintendent L. W. Miller's office today.

## GAME CALLED OFF.

Because of the closing of north side schools, which prevented its members of the Dixon union high school football team taking part in the practice this week, the football game with Rochelle, to have been played in Rochelle tomorrow, has been called off.

## CHANGES CLOSE IN SHERMAN'S HONOR

Out of respect to the late Vice President James S. Sherman the New York and Chicago stock exchanges will be closed all day tomorrow, so no markets will be published in Saturday's Telegraph.

## EDITORIAL

### HOW TO SLASH THE TICKET.

With so many parties in the field and with political conditions so badly mixed, there will be a great deal of "slashing" of ballots next Tuesday and many men who have not made a study of just how they want to mark their ballot, will unknowingly fail to vote for many that they want to vote for, and vote for many whom they do not want to vote for.

One instance is the Roosevelt republican, or the man who wants to vote for Roosevelt, of the progressive party, but who wants to vote for all the rest of the republican ticket. The way for this man to mark his ballot is to put a cross in the circle in front of the word, Republican; the first circle at the top of the first column on the ballot. He should then move over to the last column, the progressives, and put a cross in front of each of the electors named in that column. When this is done he will have voted for Roosevelt, and for the rest of the republican ticket, from Gov. Deneen down. It is not necessary to mark any of the squares in front of the republicans' names if the republican circle is crossed, but he who wishes to "plump" his three votes for A. T. Tourtellott for representative should mark a cross in front of his name. Otherwise his three votes will be divided up between Abbott and Tourtellott, one and one-half to each. Do not fail to mark the republican circle.

Of course all that is necessary to vote a straight republican ticket is the cross in the first circle on the ballot. If the straight republican voter wishes to divide his vote between Tourtellott and Abbott no other marking is needed; if he wants to "plump" he must mark the one of his choice.

The straight republican ticket is the safe and sure way.

## MRS. A. L. BIVENS FUNERAL SUNDAY

REV. SMITH WILL OFFICIATE—INTERMENT IN OAKWOOD—OBITUARY.

The funeral of Mrs. A. L. Bivens whose death at Watertown yesterday afternoon was announced in the Telegraph of Thursday, will be held Sunday at 2:30 p. m. at Morris & Preston's chapel. Rev. Geo. Smith officiating. Burial will be at Oakwood. The obituary follows:

Sarah A. Sarver was born in Somerset county, Pa., May 17, 1873. She came to this city from her birth place in 1890 and was married to A. L. Bivens Nov. 14, 1899. Three children were born to the union, two of whom survive with the husband. The children are Thelma and Marvan. Her father, Joseph Sarver, of Somerset, Pa., also survives and the following brothers and sisters also mourn her death: Mrs. J. F. Myers of Dixon; Mrs. D. N. Farstrof of Fair Hope, Pa.; Jas. W. Sarver, Dividing Ridge, Pa.; Lewis A. Sarver of the Kingdom; Mrs. John G. Mishler, Delavan, Ill.; Ross M. Sarver, Fair Hope, Pa. One brother, Simon G. Sarver, died May 1, 1912, and another brother, Charles N. Sarver, of Dixon, died August 4th. The friends will tender their condolence to the bereaved relatives.

## "HIKE" AND CHICKEN

Some time this month, probably within a fortnight, the Men's club and the Business Men's gymnasium class of the Y. M. C. A. will "hike" to the Sugar Grove church in Palmyra where they will enjoy a chicken pie supper.

## CLOCK PRESENTED TO Y.

W. E. Trein has presented a handsome large clock to the Y. M. C. A. which has been hung in the gymnasium. The timepiece was badly needed in that department, and the members and officials of the association are thankful to Mr. Trein for his kindness.

## FOOTBALL TEAM TO MT. MORRIS

The R. R. M. A. football team will go to Mt. Morris tomorrow to play the Mt. Morris high school team.

## BULLETIN

### CONWAY MURDERED GIRL.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Special to Telegraph—Mrs. Beatrice Ryall Conway in a confession today accused Conway with the murder of Sophia Singer, the Baltimore heiress. The confession was obtained after Charles Warthen, the slain woman's fiancé, shouted accusations at her.

The actress said that robbery was the motive for the murder.

### MONTREAL ROBBER CAUGHT

Columbus, O., Nov. 1.—Special—Charles Montague, alleged member of the gang that robbed the branch bank of Montreal, at New Westminster, of two hundred thousand dollars, has been arrested here.

### TURK SHIP SUNK.

Athens, Greece, Nov. 1.—Special—The Turkish battleship Fetz Bulend was sunk during the night in the Gulf of Saloniki by the Greek torpedo boat, Commanders. The enterprise was carried out under the very guns of the Turk forts.

### AUTOS CRASH.

New York, Nov. 1.—Special—Two autos, going 40 miles an hour, crashed into each other this morning so violently that both were tossed high in the air. Seven occupants were injured and three will die. The gasoline tanks of both cars caught fire and exploded. Three thousand dollars worth of jewels were found in the debris. One victim was a well known grand opera singer.

## WHICH IS THE BETTER EQUIPPED MAN? PRACTICE

William Howard Taft, statesman. Born Sept. 15, 1857.

Graduated at Yale 1878. Received degree of LL. D. from Yale, 1893; Pennsylvania, 1902; Harvard, 1905; Iowa, 1907; Wesleyan, 1909.

Graduated at Cincinnati Law College, 1880. Law reporter 1880. Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, 1881. Collector internal revenue, 1882.

Practiced law, 1883, 1885. Assistant solicitor Hamilton Co., Ohio, 1885-87. Judge Superior Court of Ohio, 1887-90. Solicitor General of the United States, 1890-1892. Judge United States Court, 1892-1900. Professor and Dean Law Department, University of Cincinnati, 1896-1900.

Member American Bar Association, member National Geographic Society, President American Red Cross, President U. S. Philippine Commission, First Civil Governor of Philippines, Arranged purchase of Philippine Friar Lands, Declined U. S. Supreme Court Judgeship, Resumed office of Governor of Philippines, Secretary of War, 1904, 1908, Provisional Governor of Cuba, Adjusted Cuban Insurrection 1906, Inaugurated Philippine Assembly, Republican Nominee for President 1908. Elected President of the United States 1908, Appointed Tariff Board Secured free trade with Philippines, Enforced anti-Trust Laws, Secured Corporation Tax and Publicity Law, Established Postal Banks, Enforced Eight Hour Law, Established Bureau of Mines, Created Economy and Efficiency Commission, Abrogated Russian Discriminating Passport Treaty, Negotiated Peace Treaties, Republican Nominee for President, 1912.

### OR THEORY.

Woodrow Wilson, professor. Born December 26, 1856.

Received degree of A. B. from Princeton 1879; A. M. from Princeton 1882; LL. D. from Virginia in 1881; Ph. D. from Johns Hopkins; 1886; LL. D. from Wake Forest in 1887; Tulane 1898; Johns Hopkins 1902; Rutgers 1902; Pennsylvania 1903; Harvard 1907; Williams 1908; Brown 1903; Dartmouth 1909; Litt. D., Yale 1901.

Practiced law 1882, 1883. Associate professor of history and political economy Bryn Mawr College 1885-88; Professor of history and political economy Wesleyan university 1888-90; Professor of jurisprudence and politics 1890-1902; President of Princeton University, 1902-1910; Member American Academy of Arts and Letters; Member of American Academy of Political and Social Science; Member American Historical Association; Member American Economic Association; Corresponding member Massachusetts Historical Association. Author and Essayist.

## THOMAS F. BROOKE DIED YESTERDAY

WAR VETERAN PASSES AWAY  
AFTER LONG ILLNESS—FUNERAL SUNDAY AT GRAND DETOUR.

### TOUR.

Thomas F. Brooke, a veteran of the civil war, died at his home 1516 Third street at 4:30 p. m. yesterday, after a long illness which developed five years ago when the deceased suffered a stroke of apoplexy. The funeral will be held Sunday at 11 a. m. at Grand Detour, Rev. Brooks, former pastor of the Dixon Congregational church, officiating.

Mr. Brooke was born near Mt. Morris, Ogle county, June 13, 1837 and was 75 years, 4 months and 13 days of age. He was married to Rosanna Mumma March 20, 1866 and his family resided near Eagle Point for a number of years, removing later to their farm near Grand Detour where they lived until the retired to reside in this city.

The deceased answered his country's call for men in the war of the Rebellion and served three years and 27 days as a member of the 34th Ill. Inf. During his entire life he was an active church man, formerly being a member of the United Brethren church but affiliating with the Congregationalists when he moved to Dixon and helping build the church in this city.

He is survived by the widow and four children; one child, Lottie Jacoby, died 14 years ago. The surviving children, to whom the sympathy of many friends is extended at this time, are: Jennie Hamilton, Oak Ridge; Wilbur Brooke, of Oak Ridge; Berton Brooke, at home and Mrs. E. G. Zellors at Spencer, Mass.

## THIRD STREET BRICK ASSESSMENT ACCEPTED

DEFINITE ACTION IS TAKEN ON  
PAVING PROPOSITION  
BY BOARD.

Definite steps toward the paving of Third street from Galena avenue west to Douglas avenue were taken this afternoon when the board of local improvements accepted and approved City Engineer Nesbit's estimate of the cost of the improvement and passed a resolution originating the scheme. Mr. Nesbit estimates the cost of the improvement at \$36,550.93.

The board had intended to open bids for the construction of sewers on Fellows street from Dement avenue to Boardman place, and on Dement avenue from Fourth to Second streets. But, although several contractors were present, no proposals were submitted and the board took no action.

### A HALLOWEEN PRANK.

Pupils of the south side high school building were surprised when they came to school this morning to note that republican headquarters had been moved from the armory to the school building some time during the night. At least the big banner which had been hung across the street down town had been taken down by boys during the night and hung on the school building.

### REPUBLICANS AT GRAND DETOUR TONIGHT

John H. Byers and Judge Scott, both of Dixon, will be the speakers at a republican rally at Grand Detour this evening. Several Ogle county candidates will be present and a good meeting is anticipated. The meeting will be held in the town hall.

### ROOSEVELT LEADS FACTORY STRAW VOTE

A straw vote taken among the employees of the Reynolds Wire factory today stood:

Debs ..... 2  
Taft ..... 4  
Wilson ..... 19  
Roosevelt ..... 33

### Governor of New Jersey.

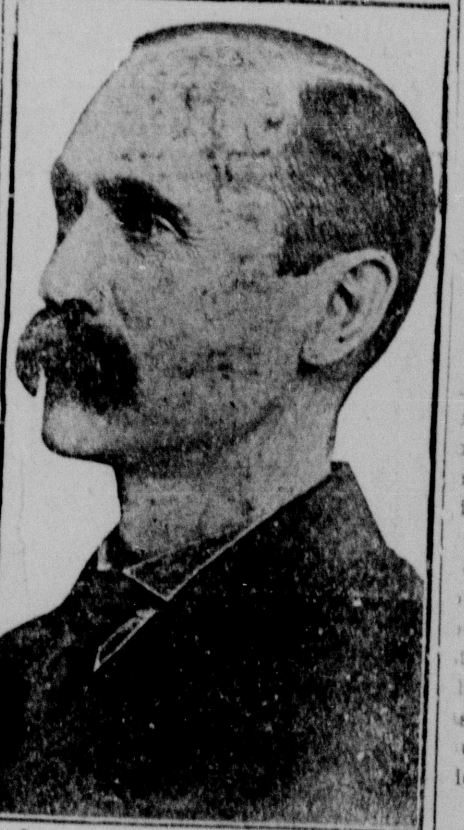
Traveled extensively and lectured as a candidate for the Democratic Presidential nomination.

Democratic nominee for President 1912.

## EDITORIAL

MAJOR A. T. TOURTELOTTE,  
A CREDIT TO HIS DISTRICT,  
SHOULD BE RETURNED

The political situation in this senatorial district, the 35th, is a peculiar one this year. In Whiteside county Mr. Abbott is a candidate for representative on the republican ticket. In DeKalb county Mr. Hunt is a candidate for the same office on the progressive ticket, and in Lee county Major Tourtellott is also a candidate on the republican ticket for the same office. One of the above gentle



men is doubtless going to be defeated at the polls next Tuesday. Two of them will be elected. Who are the two going to be? There are so many angles to this proposition that even the seasoned campaigners are unable to give the answer.

Roy Hunt, the young and inexperienced Bull Moose candidate, is an unknown quantity. His county, DeKalb, is keen for representation and this fact may bring him many votes from all of the various parties in his county. He will also get the straight progressive votes in the other two counties.

The name of A. N. Abbott of Whiteside county, although he is the republican candidate from that county, was presented at the senatorial Bull Moose convention in Dixon some time ago and an effort made to put him on the ticket as the progressive candidate for the legislature, but Mr. Hunt was chosen instead. The progressive committee of Whiteside county has recommended that all the progressives of that county, after voting for the head of their ticket, shall put a cross in front of Mr. Abbott's name where it appears on the republican ticket, thereby giving him three votes.

Now, how about Lee county's candidate? Is Major Tourtellott going to be sent back to Springfield as one of the representatives from this district? We think that he is and we are certain that he ought to be. He is an able law maker, an upright honorable gentleman and a big credit to his district. His record at the capital is above reproach as clearly appears by the recommendation of the Legislative Voters' League recently made public, which is as follows:

### Thirty-fifth District.

House—Republican.  
Albert T. Tourtellott, Dixon, farmer. Has served one term in the house. His record is first class. He is the right kind of a man to send to the legislature.

(And by the way, Tourtellott is the only candidate in the field that the league absolutely endorses. The league endorsement of Abbott is qualified by the statement that in the sharp clash of contending interests he is a trifle unsteady.)

The voters of this district and especially those of Lee county who wish to be represented in the state legislature by a brave, intelligent fighter for every principle that is good, will look carefully after Major Tourtellott's interests from now until the polls are closed next Tuesday and should use every honorable means to see that he is elected.

### CHICAGO PAPERS DELAYED

The delay in the delivery of one sack of Chicago papers to the Dixon postoffice in time for distribution this morning resulted in many rural subscribers failing to get their Chicago dailies today.

## M'KENZIE MAKES AN APOLOGY TO EDWARDS

REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR  
CONGRESS MANFULLY ACKNOWLEDGES MISTAKE.

## MAKES APOLOGY TO SIGNERS

Mr. McKenzie Greatly Regrets Error Made in Checking Lists and Is Prompt to Say So in Public Statement.

Elizabeth, Ill., Oct. 31, '12.

To the Voters of the 13th Congressional District:  
I have just been advised by telephone from Dixon by my secretary, Mr. Byers, that the statement published in the Dixon papers over my signature on the 30th, is incorrect as far as the list of signers from Lee county is concerned. It has just been ascertained that in some manner, unknown to me, a mistake was made in checking the Lee county list, and that 26 names were marked as irregular when, in fact, they were regular. I now make haste to express regret that such an error has been made. Before permitting my statement to be published I insisted that everything should be verified, as my purpose was to settle the dispute as to the regularity of the petition.

Since receiving notice of the mistake in Lee county, I have caused the lists of other counties, as published in my former statement, to be again verified and I am informed that so far as they are concerned my former statement is correct. Allowing Mr. Edwards credit for the mistake in Lee county his petition is still short 22 names. Of course it is plain that a petition which is short 22 names is just as invalid as one which is short 48 names.

So far as I am personally concerned I never for a moment contemplated keeping Mr. Edwards' name off the ballot whether his petition contained one or one thousand names. I sincerely regret and I wish to express my sorrow if Mr. Edwards has been done an injustice. I would prefer to be defeated rather than to do any man an injustice.

I also wish to apologize to the gentlemen whose names were published in the Lee county list and to again state that I regret very much the mistake which has occurred.

Respectfully,

JOHN C. MCKENZIE

## Y. M. C. A. CONCERT WAS GREAT SUCCESS

THE LYRIC GLEE CLUB'S ENTERTAINMENT WAS ENJOYED BY ALL.

The first number of the Y. M. C. A. lecture course, at the opera house last evening, given by the Lyric Glee club, fully justified all the complimentary things said about the organization, for the entertainment was thoroughly enjoyable in every respect. A full house greeted the entertainers and they responded with some charming vocal and instrumental selections, in addition to which readings of a pleasing nature were given. If the rest of the numbers of the course are of the class of the Lyric Glee club, the people of Dixon will have occasion to thank the Y. M. C. A. for its excellent program building.

### GEN. DEL. WINDOW MOVED.

To facilitate the handling of general delivery mail at the Dixon post office, the general delivery window has been changed from the front, or east side of the partition, to the north side. This will enable clerks to give more thorough attention to all windows, without inconveniencing the patrons of the office.

### CLASS RESUMES STUDIES.

The Young Men's Bible class, one of the most successful classes of the Y. M. C. A. last year, will resume its studies a week from Sunday, when Sec. Bailey will resume the course of study started last fall. Religious debates will also be held during the winter, and luncheons will follow the hours of meeting.

## Social Happenings

### BIRTHDAY HOROSCOPES.

October 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.

Are bold, determined and fearless. Consider yourself equal to anything and go ahead with all the power on. Have much family pride. There are no people like your own brothers and sisters. Love home; worship father and mother. You are fond of gaiety and pleasure. Are a foe to pretense and humbug. Specious argument has no power with you.

October 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12.

You are just, honest shrewd able. Reticent, thoughtful and proud. The secrets and interests of others are safe in your keeping, and see everything that comes your way. Are tenacious, like to advise, and sometimes dictate. Are just and fair and are willing to pay all you owe, and want all you earn. Are conscientious, true and careful in money matters.

### Thursday Reading Circle.

The members of the Thursday Reading Circle were pleasantly entertained yesterday afternoon at the hospitable home of Mrs. Minerva Ayres of East Boyd street. It was one of the most profitable and interesting meetings. Mrs. Ayres served appetizing refreshments.

### Hallowe'en Social.

Miss Ethel Rhodes of North Crawford avenue delightfully entertained a number of friends last evening with a Hallowe'en party. A very happy time was enjoyed by all in Hallowe'en games and delicious refreshments were served with Hallowe'en decorations, making a festive scene. At a late hour the guests departed thanking their hostess for the pleasant evening.

### To Meet Saturday.

The Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday afternoon at 2:30 with Mrs. M. H. Vail.

### Missionary Tea.

Mrs. A. W. Harms was hostess at a missionary tea at her home yesterday afternoon, to the ladies of St. Paul's Lutheran church.

### Rehearse Saturday night.

The members of the choir of the Methodist church will meet at 7:30 Saturday evening for rehearsal. On Monday evening the choir will rehearse the special music rehearsal at 7:30.

### Public Social.

The Young People's society of the Presbyterian church will give a public social at the Y. M. C. A. Friday evening, Nov. 22. The social will be a hard times affair.

### Will Entertain Tonight

Miss Lucile Jones of Second street will entertain twenty friends this evening at her home.

### Entertained Last Night

Mrs. Paul Harms and Misses Edith Rutt, Ida Meyers and Margaret Martin delightfully entertained a number of friends at a 'spook' party last evening at the home of Mrs. Harms in Prairieville.

### EVERY ONE HAS HIS PECULIARITIES, RESTORING HEALTH SANELY, IS OURS.

That fits our talk 'cause well balanced minds, active brains and vigorous bodies are not so numerous. If you think they are, let me suggest that you first look yourself over.

To begin with, have you the mental poise and efficiency your work demands of you? ANALYZE YOURSELF.

Is your brain clear and strong? Can you think and act quickly and to the point? Can you do your work with ease and pleasure to yourself?

The AYDE-LOTTE Idea of Life and Health teaches that these powers are possible. Further, they are, positively, your right to enjoy. I help you to help yourself, now, today.

**DR. W. F. AYDELOTTE,**  
Neurologist and Health Instructor,  
223 Crawford Ave., Dixon.  
Phone 169 for appointments.



MENLO MOORE'S LADS AND LASSIES AT OPERA HOUSE TONIGHT.

### MRS. GROVER CLEVELAND



The engagement is announced of Mrs. Grover Cleveland and Prof. Thomas J. Preston, Jr., of Wells college. The date of the wedding has not been set.

### Stag Party

On Wednesday evening, Miss Gladys Gonnerman delightfully entertained twelve friends with a stag party. Music and cards were the evening's amusements and delicious refreshments were served from tables bearing appropriate Hallowe'en decorations.

The pleasant affair was greatly enjoyed by the young ladies present.

### Entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Murphy of Walton entertained a number of friends last evening at their home with a Hallowe'en dinner and with cards afterwards. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

### Visited in Freeport

Freeport Standard: Miss Helen Brown of Dixon, Misses Ella and Grace Hollinhead of Belvidere, and Mrs. J. C. Garver of Rockford who attended the teachers' convention, were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Rosenstiel, Stephenson street and Cherry.

### Attended Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. B. S. Schildberg went to Forreston Wednesday to attend the wedding of the latter's sister, Miss Hazel Billig of Forreston, to William Knauer of Mendota. The wedding took place at the home of the bride's father.

### Sanderson-Anderson

Miss Ruth Edna Sanderson of Lee daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Sanderson and Elven Victor Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Anderson of the Sycamore road were united in marriage Wednesday at the beautiful country home of the bride.

The ceremony was performed at high noon in the presence of one hundred guests, Rev. J. A. Johnson of Creston officiating. A three course wedding dinner was then served. The decorations were very dainty, in pink and white and green.

The bride is a most estimable young woman and attended the DeKalb normal. She has many friends who will wish her every happiness. The groom also has hosts of friends who congratulate him at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson will be at home to their friends near Malta after Dec. 30th.

## COLLEGE TEAM LEAVES FOR GAME

LOCAL FOOTBALL ORGANIZATION IS IN EXCELLENT CONDITION.

### EVERY POSITION WELL FILLED

Coach Fingal Has Men in Fine Form and Favorable Score is Looked for in Game With St. Viator.

The Dixon college football players leave tonight for Chicago enroute to Kankakee where on Saturday the Dixon-St Viator game will occur. The Dixon squad will spend the night in Chicago.

A fast signal drill is the order for the final workout of the week. No scrimmage was held yesterday and there will be none this afternoon. The plays to be used will be rehearsed. The local eleven looks to be one of the best teams ever representing a Dixon institution. The Black and Gold forwards are quite heavy and exceptionally fast for their weight.

while the back field has an average of 170 with from two to three years' experience on the college team. Sand and Buckley will take care of the end positions. The return of Gorham caused the shifting of Hanson to left tackle in the place of Lord who in turn will be used in one of the guard positions. The line looks well balanced with Hansen and Harvey at tackle and Hogan at center. In the guard positions there are Lord, Byerhof, Lower and Swegle to pick from. In case of injuries Drake can sub the ends, Lord and Laughlin tackles, Hansen and Harvey are both good back field men with plenty of experience. Hogan's work at center in last Saturday's game was one of the main cogs in Dixon's scoring ability. His excellent passing of the ball on the trick formations all resulted in long gains. Gorham, Black and Capt. Kemper will cause every team on the schedule to keep hustling and it is liable at any time during a game for one of this trio to break through for a score.

Generally speaking, the Dixon team is expected to win and a score like that of the DeKalb game is looked for.

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## City In Brief

—Melno Moore's Lads and Lassies at the Opera House Friday night. 563

Mrs. Florence Blake and Miss Franc Ingraham went to Morrison last evening where they held their regular dancing school.

Mark Smith went to Rochelle today.

Andrew Huber of Sterling was in Dixon this morning transacting business.

Burr Robbins returned to Oregon last evening after a short business visit here.

Mrs. Emma King of Galena avenue, nurse, has returned from Prairieville where she has been on professional duty.

Attorney W. N. Haskell of Sterling was here today.

Secretary E. T. Bailey of the Y. M. C. A., addressed the students at Dixon College on "The Three Elements of Success" this morning.

Henry Guggenheim of Chicago was a guest yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Eichler.

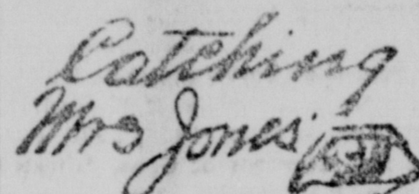
Miss Claudia Backus has returned from a visit in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Uhl have gone to Missouri for a visit with friends and to look after land interests.

Mr. and Mrs. Knauer are expected to visit at the Schildberg home in this city before going to Mendota where they will make their future home.

Miss Mary Maughan has gone to Franklin Grove to visit relatives for a few days.

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And one might learn a lesson also that poll books are poll books, but they bear different dates.

And joyfully we acknowledge that there are but three more days and then the fireworks. Skyrockets will be the favorite form of ammunition, and many hopeful candidates will be attached to the tails thereof.

Lest you forget—Turkeys Are Going to Be Higher This Year!

Personally—the old excuse — we don't care much for turkey meat any way.

There are some poker players who blame their financial condition on the way they were "raided."

Virtue is its own reward—especially in the running of a newspaper.

### Goose Hollow Letter

Any barber who wants to commit suicide should move to this village and starve to death with impunity, neatness and dispatch, for Uncle Ezra Higgins wears his whiskers around his neck for a muffler and Grandpa Bibbings wraps his around his waist for a belt to hold his overalls up.

Amos Butts, our congenial undertaker, says business is so poor that he has rented the top of his hearse to Wm. Turner for a showcase, and has made two racing suikies out of the wheels.

The Ladies Literary society has started a crusade against the smoke nuisance, and Grandma Bibbin has been warned to throw her pipe away.

The cement walk in front of the U. B. church is cracked; due to be in stretched too much when it was put down.

Old man Purdy was struck by lightning last Wednesday and suffered the loss of his wooden leg, which was burned off. He says he expects to have electric fits from now on.

A fashion paper says that straw hats went out of style last month. By jing, most of the straw hats in this town went out of style about 15 years ago.

There wasn't much excitement at James Spink's funeral, only one eucletic fit by Miss Phyllis Swank and three runaways. Ezra Jones roan mare, Cynthia, won the race home from the graveyard, beating Deacon Stubb's gray gelding by two rods. Hank Purdy, who has been reading articles on political economy, says there ain't no such thing as political economy. Last time he run for road commissioner it cost him \$5.65 in spite of all he could do.

Amariah Swiggins is taking lessons on the harp, and he ought to make the fastest blackberry picker in these parts. Amariah is a good peach picker, too, for he certainly picked a peach when he got married. She eloped with a traveling man from Oskaloose, Iowa two weeks after.

Owing to a shortage of grass the hay crop is small this year.

### Old Doc Wilson.

Old Doc Wilson, tried and true, built like Grover thru and thru, head chock full of worn out creeds—Doc's just what the nation needs. Short on horse sense, long on "knowledge," like they teach at Brimstone College, dean of all the moss-back sages relic of the middle ages, long-tail coat and high silk hat, Doc's an old time dimmyerik! Never had a brand new thought—swallows all John Calvin taught—new idea would bust his brain, old Doc Wilson's sound and sane! Hates all "furriners" from abroad—prays to Cotton Mather's God—says hell's filled up to the brim with folks that "on't believe like him—doesn't like our modern ways, wants to go back to the days when slaves were meek and more content to do the work and pay the rent—Doc's a pippin, so he is, for the Sacred Order of Big Biz!

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# BRITZ OF HEADQUARTERS

By MARCIN BARBER  
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"He gets \$10,000 a year," the attorney informed him.

"His fortune would be materially improved if he married Mrs. Missioner."

"And you believe the theft of her jewels would help his suit?" the prosecutor asked sarcastically.

The detective vouchsafed no reply. With characteristic abruptness, he switched to Sands.

"If Sands has lost heavily in Wall street we ought to look into it. He had equal opportunity with Griswold to steal the collarette," he said.

"I have no objection," Mott smiled. "By the way," he suddenly asked, "have you obtained any trace of the truth as to who manufactured the Maharanee?"

"I have found the manufacturer," Britz replied calmly.

"What?" The prosecutor bounded out of his chair as if released by a spring. "And you've withheld the information from me?"

"The manufacturer of the stone is useless as a witness. He's hopelessly insane."

"Has he thrown no light on the case at all?"

"Yes, some light," Britz admitted reluctantly. He was not prepared to disclose his hand yet. In fact, he realized an abundance of work still was necessary before the result of the interview in the insane asylum could be shaped into tangible evidence against the man who had ordered the duplicate diamond.

"Doesn't he recall who ordered the duplicate?" the prosecutor asked.

"No," the detective replied. "He is in the last stage of dementia. But we searched his effects, and found a sketch of the Maharanee drawn on the back of a visiting card."

Triumphant beams shot from Mott's eyes. He faced the detective, one hand extended in congratulation.

"I take back everything I said about your having botched the case," he offered apologetically. "Whatever the outcome, you certainly are close to the heart of the mystery. Britz, was it a man or a woman who ordered the stone?"

The detective's hand slipped into the inner pocket of his coat. It produced a long envelope from which he took the card, passing it over to the prosecutor. Mott looked at the name engraved on the pasteboard with widening eyes. His lips extended until the mouth seemed a thin, shapeless slit. Suddenly his jaw opened and snapped, as if he had come to a quick determination.

"Sands!" he exclaimed. "So he ordered the fake Maharanee! By George, I now see the importance of Griswold's information with regard to his financial affairs. Sands is hit hard in the market," he continued, slowly as if viewing the case from a new angle. "He's hard up. Needs cash to cover his margins! Has a duplicate necklace made! Of course, if he had the Maharanee counterfeited, he also had the rest of the paste gems manufac-



"Griswold Was Down Here to See Me About the Case."

tured." Mott was talking half to himself, but his words kindled a pleasant light in the detective's eyes. "Sands has a motive for the crime, and he has the opportunity to commit it." The prosecutor's hand closed about Britz's palm. "I congratulate you," he finished.

From the pocket of his coat Britz drew a newspaper and pointed to the big headlines of the first column.

"MORE THAN TWO MILLIONS FOR TUBERCULOSIS CURE."

"What has that to do with the diamond robbery?" Mott inquired.

"The committee for the Prevention and Cure of Tuberculosis," the detective read, "acknowledges receipt of the following amounts from the following donors." He pointed halfway down the column, and emphasizing each syllable, he said: "Bruxton Sands—\$200,000."

It was the second largest individual donation and Mott grasped its significance instantly.

"He certainly didn't steal the necklace to raise money for the cure of tuberculosis," he commented. "And he certainly couldn't have afforded that big check if he needed money for stock speculation." He turned sharply to Britz. "What do you make out of it?" he snapped.

"It is one of the guideposts to the diamond theft," Britz pronounced.

The look of inquiry which the prosecutor bestowed on the detective remained unanswered. As if fearful of having committed some indiscretion in giving even this meager hint of his thoughts, Britz rose hastily and with a parting hint as to the complexity of the case, swung through the door and hastened out of the building. Unconsciously, his footsteps took him to headquarters, and into Manning's presence.

"Griswold was down here to see me about the case," the chief informed him. "He tells me you induced Mott to postpone it for a month?"

"I'm reaching out for the real thief," Britz returned. "I've got him, Manning. He can't get away."

"Well, who's the thief?" the chief inquired tersely.

Britz averted his face to conceal the unwonted agitation that had suddenly sprung up within him. A new light gleamed in his eyes—a light not called up by the excitement of the chase. The mere tracking of criminals was part of the routine of his life; he followed the course of his trails unemotionally, like a well-oiled machine. But the contemplation of saving a human soul in distress, the consciousness of exercising his talents in behalf of a woman who had touched his utmost pity, the knowledge that he alone stood between her and the living death that awaited her in state prison, increased the pulsation of his heart, thrilled him with a sense of noble purpose that was a new and agreeable excitement. When he regained his customary nonchalance he fixed his gaze on the chief and, in a tone of cold indifference, said:

"The thinnest of veils is drawn between the thief and his complete exposure. I am not prepared to draw the veil aside yet. But it will be torn away shortly—very shortly. And then he'll stand revealed before the world." "As mysterious as ever," the chief commented with a show of impatience. "Go ahead in your own way."

### CHAPTER XVII.

#### A Pair of Thieves.

Two men, late on that February afternoon, were hastening eagerly along converging routes to the bachelor home of Bruxton Sands. One was Sands himself. The other was Lieutenant Britz of Headquarters.

Every detail in the millionaire's suite in the St. Barnabas and of his private room in the Bowling Green office was known to Britz even more minutely than to the owner. That had been among the early activities of the sleuth in connection with the case. He was able to assure himself, therefore, that no matter how much Sands might admire the Maharanee diamond, especially when it encircled the white throat of the wealthy widow, it would be nonsensical to suppose this admiration could descend to covetousness. Clearly, Britz was in some sort of blind alley.

As the two men left their offices almost to the minute, Britz, many blocks ahead of Sands, had arrived at the St. Barnabas before the millionaire turned the Grace church bend in Broadway. Sands' man, when the detective announced he was there for an important talk with the millionaire, admitted Britz readily to Sands' suite.

Britz, sitting in a great leather armchair in an attitude of yfaritile ease, chose a panatela from his pocket case, and then, with his eyes fixed on the ceiling and his hands clasped at the back of his neck, he gave himself up to as many moments of uninterrupted thought as the non-arrival of the unconscious host would permit. He had reached a point in his meditations that for an instant seemed to open a way for an explanation, for which he had come to see Sands, when a faint rustling in the adjoining room reached his acute ear.

A ribbon of subdued light gave passage to his glance. He saw a shadow flutter at a far window end, in the next instant, rapidly and noiselessly, he had slid out of the armchair until he was on his knees on the rug behind the shelter of a library table piled high with books. Inch by inch, soundless, Britz lifted one knee until his foot rested firmly on the floor; inch by inch, still without a sound, he raised the other. When he was fairly on his feet, but in a crouching attitude, he half walked, half crawled, around the table by the longer way, until he was close to the portieres. Britz was too good a sleuth to make the mistake of looking between the portieres to get a glimpse of the inner room. It was no part of his program to be seen by Sands' other visitor, or visitors. He felt justified in giving way to his curiosity because it might be as much to the millionaire's interests as to his own—to say nothing of Mrs. Missioner's, and that of the public. In fact, the headquarters man did not waste much time in such reflections. He wanted to see and hear what was going on, and he took the riskiest means of doing so. Instead of risking the danger of being seen between the portieres, he pierced with his scarf pin a tiny hole in the

leather curtain behind which he stood, and applying one eye closely, he could see the whole inner room. It was the millionaire's bedroom, and he commanded everything except the angle in which was set the window where he had glimpsed the shadow. A slightly more vigorous twist or two of the pin enlarged the microscopical aperture, so that he could see even that detail of the interior. Britz almost grunted with satisfaction at what he witnessed in the next few minutes. The shadow man was still at the window, fluttering, flitting to and fro, rising and falling. It crouched outside the window in such a way as showed Britz it was on a fire escape or a balcony of some sort. The rustling sound increased, and it was followed by a faint "cheep," like a sparrow's call. A second shadow fluttered from a point above the window and melted into the outlines of the first. Then came a slightly rasping sound, and the lower sash, Britz noticed, trembled. By well-nigh imperceptible degrees the sash was lifted. The next instant two men noiselessly lowered themselves to the floor and glanced hastily about the room. Reassured by the swift look, they tiptoed along the walls from right to left; one of them stopped at a chiffonier, the other continued his little journey of investigation until he arrived at the portieres. Then it was that Britz held his breath. He held it for seconds that seemed as tedious as hours, while the nearer of the strange visitors, separated from him only by the thickness of the leather, peered through the parting between the curtains into the library where the detective stood.

Britz had not obtained a good view of the intruder's face, for it was half hidden by a loose fold of the turban upon his head that indicated the stranger's nationality. Britz's eyes still were fixed at the hole, and by that time the stranger was out of his line of vision. Had such not been the case, it is possible that even the imperceptible Britz would have moved at least to the extent of a swift reach to a side pocket in his coat. For it was about as evil a countenance as one could expect to see anywhere, save under the shadow of the gallows. In its rapacity, ferocity, blood thirstiness and cruelty of every degree spoke loudly. If that savage face had advanced an inch or two nearer, those snake eyes would have seen the man from Mulberry street who shrank into himself behind the shelter of the protecting strip of leather. But it did not; and, after a leisurely survey of the interior, the Oriental returned to the other end of the inner room and rejoined his companion.

Hardly had Britz begun to let the air seep out of his lungs, and before he had indulged in the luxury of an intake of breath, when he became an interested spectator in the gentlemanly art of searching a gentleman's room. The Central office man was no vidocq. It is doubtful if he had even read Poe's story of "The Missing Letter," and had he done so, it is by no means certain he would have adapted the methods of the French police to metropolitan detective work. Nevertheless, he had flattered himself that he usually made a pretty thorough search for anything he wanted; but what he saw through that tiny pin hole in the leather portiere showed him that he was the veriest tyro in that sort of thing. The two visitors went through the millionaire's furniture and other possessions with a minuteness that would have made a fine-tooth comb look like a garden rake. There could not have remained anything—any nook or corner, any crack or crevice, not anything larger than a bacillus which they happened to covet. If an article no bigger than a pinhead had been the object of their hunt, their untiring scrutiny would have brought it to light. Yet so deftly had they searched that, granting them a minute's respite, they could have left the room without any traces of their activity.

Their search seemed fruitless until they arrived at a desk under a hanging incandescent lamp, at which Britz assumed Sands was in the habit of writing his more personal letters. From one of the pigeon-holes, one of the intruders drew something that crackled slightly as the man stuffed it into the folds of his tunic. From a neighboring compartment of the desk, the second stranger drew another find, which he in turn hastily hid in the same way. With lightning rapidity, they went through every part of the desk. In that same instant Britz felt rather than heard a footstep behind him, and, jerking a glance over his shoulders, saw Sands advancing upon him angrily. With a quick uplift of his hand, the detective stopped the millionaire in his tracks, and then drew him quietly toward the portiere and motioned for him to look through the hole in the leather. Sands bent a little, and then glanced wonderingly into the bedroom. He raised a face of astonished inquiry to Britz. He was answered by another glancing gesture from the sleuth. He looked once more through the tiny hole just in time to see the Hindoo straighten himself from their crouching attitude over the desk and turn toward the window. His hand thrust itself into his coat pocket, he slipped into the opening in the portieres with a single stride, and, leveling an automatic pistol that looked more like a block of steel than anything else, he cried: "Hands up!"

The men did not turn; instead, they leaped for the window, followed by Britz and Sands. Quick as they were, they were not quick enough for the Headquarters man. Launching his wiry form as a tiger springs, Britz, pistol in hand, hurled himself between the foremost Indian and the open win-

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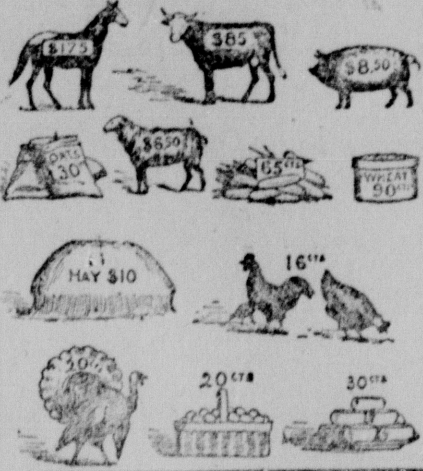
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When the department of justice, under the Roosevelt administration, was about to begin an action to dissolve the Harvester Trust, Geo. W. Perkins made a personal appeal to the president and the suit was not brought, the reason given by Mr. Roosevelt in a letter being that it would "antagonize powerful interests that are friendly to the administration." The attitude of Mr. Perkins since that time shows that the "powerful interests" were not antagonized.

One of the actions brought under the Taft administration involved Mr. Dan Hanna. Word came to the president that if the action could be dismissed his chances of carrying the Ohio primaries would be much enhanced. The action was not dismissed. Mr. Hanna paid his fine—and the evidence shows that he contributed \$177,000 to the Roosevelt primary campaign fund, while his three newspapers have been bitter and unsparing in their attacks upon Taft.

In 1904 J. P. Morgan, H. C. Frick, H. H. Rogers, E. H. Harriman, G. M. Perkins, C. M. Depew and George Gould, all of them trust magnates, contributed each \$100,000 or more to Mr. Roosevelt's campaign fund. Two of them are dead, but of the five living not one is helping to pay the expenses of the Taft campaign this year.

President Taft's rigid enforcement of the anti-trust law has not only shut the purses of the big interests against him, but has brought upon him the active antagonism of the men who control them. Ought it not to bring to him the support of the plain people who want the law enforced? And in the light of the record what unpardonable misrepresentation, what gross slander it is, to charge that President Taft has "gone over to the interests." Did he go over to the interests when he enjoined the railroads from advancing freight rates all over the country, saving shippers scores of millions of dollars? Did he go over to the interests when he forced the corporation tax provision into the tariff law from which the government is now receiving \$25,000,000 to \$30,000,000 annually? Did he go over to the interests when he investigated a suit to dissolve the combination between the Steel Trust and the Tennessee Coal and Iron company which his predecessor had expressly authorized and which had paid the promised \$100,000,000? Did he go over to the interests when he instituted more suits under the anti-trust law in three years than his predecessor had done in seven and one-half years?

Isn't it nearly time we were giving a square deal to that square man who sits in the white house? Just because he has refused to advertise himself, just because he has not had trumpets sounded before him whenever he did something for the people, shall we let his enemies destroy him, the enemies he has made because he was standing by our interests instead of doing the bidding of those whose interests were not ours?

## EITHER TAFT OR WILSON

will be elected president of the United States next Tuesday. Roosevelt cannot possibly win. And if you vote for Roosevelt you help to make Woodrow Wilson, college professor, free trader and theorist in governmental affairs, the next president. Wisdom and patriotism demand that you vote the Republican ticket.

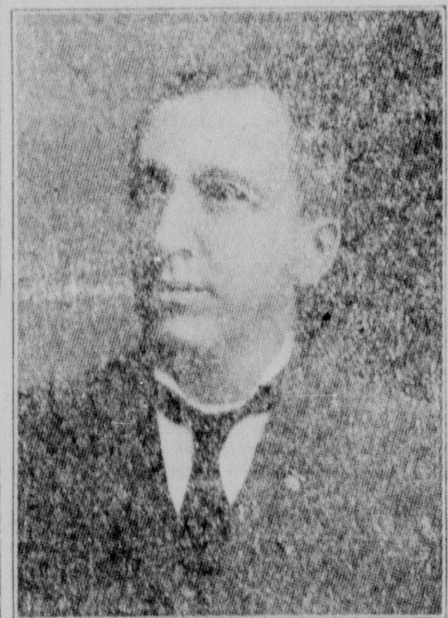
Prehistoric Monster.  
Eighty feet long and thirty feet high, the antiloposaurus was one of our prehistoric animals.

Played Cards Only on Holidays.  
Playing cards, when first introduced into England, were looked upon purely as a holiday pastime.

Delusions.  
Some men think they are getting close to nature by making love to a grass widow.—Life.

Be kind enough to look at the little yellow tag on your Telegraph. It will indicate the exact date to which you are paid.

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EVERY REPUBLICAN SHOULD VOTE FOR HIM, FOR HE STANDS FOR REPUBLICAN PRINCIPLES AND CLEAN POLITICS. PROGRESSIVES SHOULD SUPPORT HIM, FOR HE HAS BEEN AN ADVOCATE OF PROGRESSIVE PRINCIPLES FOR TWO YEARS. HE WILL RECEIVE MANY OF THE DEMOCRATIC VOTES, FOR THE CANDIDACY OF SUCH A MAN APPEALS MORE STRONGLY THAN PARTY PREJUDICE.—AMBOY JOURNAL.

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AnnouncementFIRST CHURCH OF  
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316 First St.  
Sunday services, 11 a. m.  
"Probation After Death."  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Wednesday, testimony meeting at 8 p. m.  
Reading rooms at 316 First St., open daily except Sunday from 2 to 4 p. m. All Christian Science literature may be read and procured here. Everybody welcome to services and reading rooms.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN.  
F. D. Altman, D. D., Pastor.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning worship, 11.  
Evening service, 7:30.  
Mid-week service, Wednesday, at 7:30 p. m.  
The pastor will preach morning and evening.

SUGAR GROVE.  
Rev. F. D. Altman will conduct services at Palmyra Union church at 3 p. m. Sunday, Nov. 3rd.

## FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Samuel E. Fisher, Minister.  
"How Would Jesus Vote Next Tuesday?" will be the subject of the evening address next Sunday. This will be no frenzied, partisan harangue, but a sane study of the principles of citizenship. All who enjoy such a service, with appropriate music, are cordially invited to attend.

"The Only Foundation" will be the morning sermon theme.  
The Young People's society has re-organized for the winter's work.  
You are missing it if you do not attend the Wednesday evening training class.

## CHURCH OF THE BRETHREN

Cor. 3rd & Madison Ave.  
Olin F. Shaw, Minister.

We take pleasure in announcing for our Sunday services Rev. I. B. Trout, our Sunday School Editor and prominent among the Sunday school workers of America. Rev. Trout will speak at 11 a. m. and officiate at the evening services. At 6:15 p. m. the regular semi-annual love feast of the church will be celebrated. In this service the ordinances of feet-washing and the Lord's Supper (or Agape) will be observed as was instituted at the first Love Feast of the Christian church, and as was observed during the first centuries of the church in connection with the Eucharist. Visitors are welcome.  
Sunday school at 10 a. m.  
Cordial invitation to all services.

## BAPTIST CHURCH.

Emerson O. Bradshaw, Minister.  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Morning service, 10:45.  
Subject, "I will show Him how many things He must suffer."  
Evening service, 7:30. Subject, "Imperfect Vision."

Communion service following the morning service.  
Mid-week service Wednesday evening. Subject, "A Week With the Prophet Hosea."

The Bible is the great textbook of the church. But the church itself knows very imperfectly this most valuable source of moral and religious strength. All admit that the spirit of progress and social reform so evident in our national life today is but a dim reflection of the spirit of the 66 sacred books.

Is it not the chief business of the church, therefore, to keep the fountains of truth there contained flowing full and free? Why live on the fringes when the full ear is just beneath?

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Special ..... \$12.50  
Stair Carpet ..... 45c, 89c and \$1.00 yd  
Good size cotton fleeced Blankets. Special ..... 39c pair  
Good size cotton filled bed Comforts Special ..... \$1.00

Special Bargain in cotton fleeced and wool Blankets.

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## GERMAN LUTHERAN.

Theo. Drexel, Pastor.  
There will be no service Sunday morning, the pastor going to Franklin Grove.  
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.  
Evening service at 7:30.  
The Ladies' Aid society will hold their meeting Thursday at 2 p. m.

## ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.  
The 22nd Sunday after Trinity.  
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.  
Sunday school, 11:00.  
Holy Eucharist, 11:00.

## CHURCH OF GOD.

Regular services at Macabee hall.  
Rev. F. J. Lindsay of Oregon, pastor. Services at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Rev. F. J. Lindsay, pastor of the Church of God, will come to Dixon Sunday to conduct services in Macabee hall.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN.

Galena Ave. & 3rd St.  
Rev. Ralph MacLay Crissman, D. D., Minister.  
Morning worship, 10:30. Sermon, "Christ's Hand."  
Evening service, 7:30. "A Successful Young Man. Benajah, The Hero of a Snowy Day."  
Bible school, 11:45 a. m.  
Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m.  
Mid-week service, Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.  
Study, "Harvest Home."

## GRACE EVANGELICAL CHURCH.

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. by the pastor.  
K. L. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.  
Special meetings will begin Wednesday evening and continue for a few weeks. The following is the program for next week:

General prayer and testimony on Wednesday evening. H. L. Fordham will speak Thursday evening and Secretary E. T. Bailey on Friday evening. Mrs. Isaac Divan will speak Sunday morning and evening and every evening the following week.  
Everybody cordially invited, especially strangers and lonely folks.  
Geo. A. Smith, Pastor.

## METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.  
Public worship at 10:45 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
The pastor will preach at both services.

The evening sermon will be the second of the illustrated patriotic series. The subject Sunday evening will be "The Founding of the New Nation." In addition to a large number of views of the period of the adoption of our present form of government a set of pictures of our new navy will be used to illustrate the song, "Columbia, the Gem of the Ocean."  
Fred D. Stone, Pastor.

## ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, AMBOY.

Rev. A. B. Whitcombe, Rector.  
Evening prayer, 7:30.  
ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.  
Saturday, "All Souls' Day."  
Holy Eucharist, 7:30.

## Bandit Sent to Federal Prison.

Rockford, Nov. 1.—Howard Edwards of Rockford, a preacher bandit who held up the L. & N. train several months ago but was knocked unconscious by the engineer, was captured and sentenced to 25 years to the Atlanta prison. "I'm satisfied," he said, "and would rather be in the federal prison a million years than the state penitentiary one."

## Three Indicted for Farmer's Death.

Eldorado, Nov. 1.—A special grand jury, called to investigate the killing of George Muggie near Eldorado last week, returned indictments of murder against John Woodruff, Scotty Irvin and Virgil Chaffin. The trial is set for the first Monday after election. Muggie was shot when he warned hunters to leave his farm.

## Chicken Pickers Decide to Strike.

Taylorville, Nov. 1.—Chicken pickers to the number of fifteen, employed at three poultry houses here, went on a strike because their employers would not raise their pay from two and one-half to three cents a head.

## Kills His Friend Over Music.

Moline, Nov. 1.—Angered when his ability as a musician was belittled, George Avakian killed a life-long friend here by beating him with a chair. Avakian is held without bail.

## Agreed on One Point.

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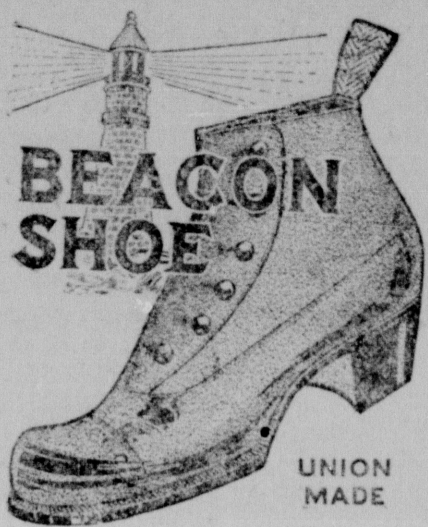
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- 1 Good Broom.....22c
- 2 Cans Best Red Salmon Charm Brand.....33c
- 2 Bars Armour Glycerine Toilet Soap.....7c

Try our Pancake Flour, and Don't Miss Looking at the Ad next week as you can save 50c on one purchase.

## Autumn Furniture Sale....

We have one of the largest and most select stocks of new furniture ever shown in Dixon, and in order to prove this assertion we will inaugurate an autumn sale, commencing

**Saturday November 2nd**

We extend a cordial invitation to Dixon and vicinity to inspect our furniture and compare prices

### Parlor Furniture

Mahogany and leather Settees, Rockers, and everything to make the home beautiful

### Library Tables

Davenport, Morris Chairs, Tables, Sectional Book Cases.

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Buffets, Round Pedestal Tables, Leather Chairs, China Closets.

### Brass Beds

Princess Dressers, Felt Mattresses and the famous Rex springs which are guaranteed for 25 years. Felt Mattresses.

### 500 Samples of Picture Mouldings

Just received the largest and finest selection in this city. Place your orders now for X-mas framing, as we are always busy in this department. Tray mouldings and handles of a large variety.

### Handsome Hall Rack Free

with every purchase of \$10.00 we will give a handsome hall rack free

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112 East First St.

**THE STORY OF MARY ELLEN**  
Which Started the Child Saving Crusade Throughout the World.  
By Mrs. Etta Angell Wheeler, Who First Discovered and Reported the Case.

(The sufferings of this little girl caused the New York Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the first of its kind, to be founded in 1874, through the efforts of Henry Bergh, Elbridge T. Gerry and John D. Wright.)

Late in the year 1873 there was brought to me by a poor working woman the story of a child whose sad case inspired the founding of the first Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. The woman was a quiet, reserved Scotch woman, truthful and careful of her words. The story was that during the two previous years there had lived in the rear tenement, 349 West 41st street, a family of three persons, a man, a woman and a little girl, supposed to be five or six years old; that during these two years the child had been a close prisoner, having been seen only once by the other tenants; that she was often cruelly whipped and very frequently left alone the entire day with the windows darkened, and locked in an inner room; that the other occupants of the house had not known to whom to make complaint, the owner of the house, who lived on the premises, refusing to listen.

A week before this family had moved to the rear tenement, 341 the same street. Later in the day I went to 349 and heard a like story from others; then, hoping to see the child I went to 341. The house was separated from the one in front by a narrow paved court, each of the three floors had two apartments, a living room and a bedroom in each. The living rooms were separated by a thin partition through which during the weeks to come, the cries of the child gave evidence of her unhappy life. The family I sought was on the top floor. Wondering what reason I could give for my intrusion, I knocked at the door. It was not opened. Wishing, if possible, to learn if the child was there, I knocked at the door of the adjoining apartment.

A faint voice bade me "Herein." I saw a tidy room and in a dark bedroom a young German woman apparently very ill. While sitting

by her bed for a short time she told me of coming with her young husband, not long before this, to this land of strangers and strange speech; of her homesickness and failing health.

I asked her of her new neighbors. She had not seen them; there was a child; she had heard it crying, perhaps it, too, was sick. Promising to come again, I returned to the other apartment where, after a time, the door was slightly opened and a woman's sharp voice asked my errand. I began telling her of her sick and lonely neighbor and talked on until, unconsciously she had opened the door so that I could step in. This I did and, being an unbidden guest, made a very brief call. I was there lonely neighbor and talked on until, and gain my own impression of her condition. While still talking with the woman I saw a pale, thin child barefooted, in a thin, scanty dress; so tattered that I could see she wore but one garment besides.

It was December and the weather bitterly cold. She was a tiny mite the size of five years, though, as afterward appeared, she was then nine. From a pan set upon a low stool she stood washing dishes, straggling with a frying pan about as heavy as herself. Across the table lay a brutal whip of twisted leather strands and the child's meagre arms and legs bore many evidences of its use. But the saddest part of her story was written on her face, in its look of suppression and misery, the face of a child unloved, of a child that had seen only the fearsome side of life. These things I saw while seeming not to see, and I left without speaking to, or of, the child. I never saw her again until the day of her rescue, three months later, but I went away determined, with the help of a kind Providence, to rescue her from her miserable life.

How was this to be done? The man worked but irregularly. The woman earned no money. Their dress and living showed very little means. The postman had told the person who brought the first report to me that he left no mail for this family except frequently, registered letters. Thinking this might mean money for keeping the child I feared to arouse any suspicion lest the family should disappear, so I determined that no rescue should be attempted until there was fair promise of success. I asked advice. No one could tell me what to do. There seemed no place of appeal. Meanwhile it was from the sick woman I was to learn more and more of the cruel treatment of the little girl. She grew always worse and her bed being now against the thin wall separating the two living rooms, she could but hear much of the abusive treatment. As often as I went to see her there was a piteous story to hear. At last she was told what had first brought me to the house, and we waited and hoped together.

Weeks went by. Easter Sunday came, bright with sunshine, warm with the breath of Spring. As I went into church, passing from the brightness without to the beauty of palm and lilies and organ strains within, the thought of the dying woman and the poor child smote upon me. I was very early and with a few flowers from the altar steps I turned away and went to spend the morning in the tenement. The child had been locked early in the dark bedroom, the Easter sunshine shut out, the man and woman had gone and would not return till night. The poor invalid gave the flowers a pathetic welcome and as I sat by her she told me of Easter Sundays in the beloved Rhineland, all the homesickness for which had not passed into longing for the land where sickness is not. Yet always she had wished to stay until her little fellow sufferer was rescued. We spoke of Christ and the Resurrection, of the glorious meaning of Easter Day, and we talked of the child alone in the darkness and prayed for her release. Poor suffering woman! She knew death stood at the door, she did not yet know he was not to enter until the child she had so pitied was free and that in that very Easter week.

I had more than once been tempted to apply to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, but had lacked courage to do what seemed absurd. However, when on the following Tuesday a niece said: "You are so troubled over that abused child. Why not go to Mr. Bergh? She is a little animal, surely." I said at once, "I will go." Within an hour I was at the society's rooms. Mr. Bergh was in his office and listened to my recital most courteously, but with a slight air of amazement that such an appeal should be made there. In the end he said: "The case interests me much, but very definite testimony is needed to warrant interference between a child and those

claiming guardianship. Will you not send me a written statement that, at my leisure I may judge the weight of the evidence and may also have the time to consider if this society may interfere? I promise to consider the case carefully."

It was the first promise of help, and I was glad. The next morning I sent a paper giving what I had seen and heard, which was very little and the much that had been told me by others, and what seemed to me their credibility as witnesses. Going later in the day to see the sick woman I found, in her room a young man with a large official looking book under his arm. Hearing a nurse speak my name as I entered, he said to me, "I was sent to take the census in this house. I have been in every room." Inferred at once that he was a detective for Mr. Bergh. When I left the house the young man was waiting on the sidewalk to tell me he had seen the child and was then going to Mr. Bergh with his report of her pitiable condition.

The next morning, Thursday, Mr. Bergh called upon me to ask if I would go to the court house, the child having already been sent for. He expressed pleasure that he need not ask me to go to a police court. Judge Lawrence of the supreme court, had kindly taken the case. After we had waited a short time in the judge's court, two officers came in, one of whom had the little girl in his arms. She was wrapped in a carriage blanket and was without other clothes than the two ragged garments I had seen her in months before. Her body was bruised, her face disfigured, and the woman, as if to make testimony against herself, had the day before struck the child with a pair of shears, cutting a gash through the left eye-brow and down the cheek, fortunately escaping the eye.

The child was sobbing bitterly when brought in, but there was a touch of the ludicrous in it all. While one of the officers had held the infuriated woman the other had taken away the terrified child. She was still shrieking as they drove away and they called a halt at the first candy shop, so that she came into court weeping and terrified, but with a stick of peppermint candy. Poor child! it was her one earthly possession. The investigation proceeded. The child's appearance was testimony enough, little of mine was required, and thus, on Thursday, Apr. 9, 1874, her rescue was accomplished. This Mr. Bergh had effected within 48 hours after first hearing of the case. The next day the woman who had so often forgotten her own suffering in pity for the child, died happy that little Mary Ellen was free. Now, for the first time, we knew the child's name.

The prosecution of the woman who had so ill treated her, followed soon. One witness was a representative from the institution from which the woman had taken the child, less than two years old. No inquiry as to the child's welfare had been made during the intervening seven years. Record of her admission to the institution had been lost in a fire. The testimony of fellow tenants and the damaging witness of the woman against herself, under cross-examination, secured her conviction and she was sentenced to the penitentiary for a year. When leaving the court house I tried to thank Mr. Bergh for the rescue of the child, new world, woods, fields, and green and asked if there could not be a things growing, were all new to her, Society for the Prevention of Cruel-

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to Children, which should do for abused children what was being done for animals. He took my hand and said very emphatically: "There shall be one." Today all the world knows how well that promise has been kept. The time was come for a forward movement in the welfare of children and little Mary Ellen's hand had struck the hour.

The child was rescued; what was to be done with her? The press had given the case wide publicity, reports had drawn fanciful pictures of her beauty and attractiveness, so that from every quarter from the west to Florida, and from England, came offers of adoption. The neglected, hindered child, would require painstaking and patience, and those uncertain offers were declined. Some attempts to claim her through relationship were investigated by Judge Lawrence and proved fictitious. After a short time she was put into a home, not one for young children, but for grown girls, some of them wayward, who were being trained for service.

To me this was most unsatisfactory and after waiting some months I expressed my disapproval to Judge Lawrence who was now her guardian. He consulted with Mr. Bergh and soon after put Mary Ellen at my disposal. I took her to my mother near Rochester, N. Y., to my mother whose heart and home were always open to the needy.

Here began a new life. The child was an interesting study, so long shut within four walls and now in a Bergh for the rescue of the child, new world, woods, fields, and green and asked if there could not be a things growing, were all new to her, she had not known them. She had to

learn, as baby does, to walk upon the ground; she had walked only on floors and her eyes told her nothing of uneven surfaces. She was wholly untaught; knew nothing of right and wrong except as related to punishment; did not know of the Heavenly Father; had no companionship with children or toys. But in this home were other children and they taught her as children alone can teach each other. They taught her to play, to be unafraid, to know her rights and to claim them. She shared their happy, busy life from the making of mud pies to charming birthday parties and was fast becoming a normal child.

I had taken her to my mother in June; in the autumn following my mother died. She asked that, after her death my sister, living nearby, should take Mary. This she did and under her care were passed years of home and school life, of learning all good household ways, of instruction in church and Sunday school and in gaining the love of many and the esteem of all who knew her.

When twenty-four she was married to a worthy man and has proved a good home maker and a devoted wife and mother. To her children, two bright dutiful daughters, it has been her joy to give a happy childhood in sharp contrast to her own. If the memory of her earliest years is sad, there is this comfort that the cry of her wrongs awoke the world to the need or organized relief for neglected and abused children.

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**JOHN P. DEVINE**  
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## CORRESPONDENCE

## WEST BROOKLYN NEWS

A big combination sale at the Feed yards in West Brooklyn Saturday, Nov. 2nd.

The firemen's ninth annual ball will be held in the opera house on Thanksgiving eve. Let everybody come for the firemen are prepared to show you a good time. They always do.

Carry your insurance with West Brooklyn's biggest agency. They represent old line Life, Live Stock, Fire, Lightning — Tornado Insurance companies, and are able to favor you in many ways in their line. Allow them to store your policy in their fire-proof safe in addition to giving you a policy in a good strong company. See them at your first opportunity. They are Henry F. & Oliver L. Gehant.

A. J. Fuller was in town on business Tuesday afternoon.

Godfrey Dinges and wife, and their daughter Kathryn, were here from Sublette this week visiting relatives and friends.

Joseph Auchstetter was a business visitor here Tuesday.

St. Mary's church bazar for the benefit of the Orphans' Home has proven a great success, but limited time prevents us from giving the full account and results until our next issue.

E. E. Lahman of the Flatts was in Dixon Wednesday on business.

E. E. Lahman of the Flatts was a business visitor in West Brooklyn Tuesday afternoon.

Frank Kuehna and family were here from Sublette visiting friends Saturday evening.

Fred Santelman of the Valley was a business visitor in our city Tuesday morning.

A large number of the younger folk were here from Amboy Monday night to attend the bazar.

Mrs. Chas. Zinke and daughter of South Brooklyn were visitors in West Brooklyn Tuesday afternoon.

Commissioners William Ellsworth August Gehant and Jos. B. Mettelle of Viola township, as well as Grant L. Edwards, town clerk, were in West Brooklyn Monday receiving the bids of Messrs John P. Harvey of Amboy, M. M. Billmire of Ashton, H. W. McCarthy of Sterling, and Prosper Gander of West Brooklyn. These gentlemen have considerable work ahead of them due to the dredging being done in the swamp, and especially where the new ditching leaves the old channel and requires new bridges across the high-ways.

November 5th is election day and no voter should fail to cast his ballot at some time during the day. It is a duty that every person should feel obliged to perform if he is of legal age and no one ought to allow himself to remain at home or work so as not to vote for the president and other officials. The present campaign is a very important one and everyone will vote for each man can see that his vote is needed.

George Brewer of the Berg was in West Brooklyn on business Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Frank Halbmeier was a visitor in this village on Tuesday forenoon.

Miss Lizzie Blackburn of Harmon returned to her home on Tuesday evening after visiting for a few days in West Brooklyn with her relatives and friends.

Take advantage of our clubbing rates and secure your winters reading matter at a much reduced rate. Here they are. The Chicago Daily Tribune, the Chicago Record Herald, the Chicago Daily Journal, besides many of the best farm journals in existence.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Henkel were visitors in West Brooklyn on Monday afternoon.

George Schulties of Amboy was a visitor in this city on Tuesday afternoon.

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For sale bills go to B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co.

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Miss Susie McIntyre was a visitor in this village with relatives and friends in West Brooklyn on Sunday and attended the fair on the night before.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Holdren were visitors in town on Tuesday evening.

David O. Fairchild arrived in West Brooklyn on Monday morning after his extended stay in Kansas with his son William and family. David claims to be feeling fine and says he has been enjoying good health in spite of the fact that he worked hard while away. The outer buildings on his farm were wrecked by a cyclone and the heavy work was caused by this incident.

Mr. Fairchild cleared up the ruins and helped his son as best he could so they could get a new barn up for winter. The building is nearing completion, now and this accounts for the return to West Brooklyn at this time. The rain was scarce this summer in their neighborhood and the chinch bugs were very numerous so that the crops are rather short during this harvest, but David says William will have plenty for feed and seed.

Charles Mackin was in town from the Flatts on business Tuesday.

L. C. Loveland and wife were morning passengers for Aurora Monday, where they were returning home after a week's visit here and in this vicinity, with their old neighbors, friends and acquaintances.

A. B. July and wife and daughter Evelyn were visitors in West Brooklyn Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louise Faltz returned to her home near Waterman Monday morning after visiting relatives and friends in and near West Brooklyn, for a couple of days.

John Prendegast and family and James Moore of Arlington visited Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Meyer in our city over Sunday. Mr. Moore was a classmate of Mr. Meyer when the two attended school in Arlington. It is needless to say that the visit was a very pleasant one.

William B. Oester was here on business Tuesday.

Joseph Graf was a business visitor in town Tuesday afternoon.

Henry S. Jeanguenat was a visitor in Aurora Monday making the trip between trains.

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Justin Becker and sister Lillian, of Maytown visited relatives and friends in West Brooklyn on Sunday and attended the fair on the night before.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Holdren visited in town Tuesday evening.

J. W. Thier visited in West Brooklyn Tuesday.

Elmo Litts visited Sunday in Amboy with friends.

G. L. Jeanguenat and family were visitors in West Brooklyn from Bradford Monday afternoon.

Laurent Henry and family of Ashton attended the fair here Tuesday night.

Some sneaks were working about on Monday night when the crowds were in the opera house at the bazar for several people had blankets taken from their horses tied on the streets and there is no trace of the lost articles. Such a class of people as the ones who took the blankets should be punished for their cowardly acts and made to pay the penalty if there is any law obtainable to ascertain who the individuals are.

Mrs. Andrew Gehant and a party of ladies from town motored to the vicinity of Pawpaw Wednesday afternoon.

George Dinges of South Brooklyn, was here Tuesday.

Amel Henry visited over Sunday in Amboy with relatives and friends. Miss Thressa Jeanguenat of Waterman returned to West Brooklyn to visit over Saturday and Sunday with her folks.

George Wolf was in town on business Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barnard and Mr. and Mrs. Prosper Gander motored to Ashton and Franklin Grove Sunday.

The sad news of the death of the father of Frank Herman of this place reached our office on Sunday, and although it is a blessing for the aged Mr. Herman that he has gone to his reward and is relieved of a long illness and much suffering it is very hard for his close relatives and friends to see him leave the family home. The funeral was held in Mendota Tuesday. The writer extends his sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Herman and the other relatives and friends.

Joseph B. Bauer was in town on business Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Clark and children returned home Saturday afternoon, after two weeks' visit with relatives and friends in Streator. Mr. Clark went to Streator Friday and returned the next day with his wife.

Joseph Bieschke was in town Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. Michael B. Krug was a visitor in Chicago Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

The representatives of the Northern Illinois Utilities Company paid West Brooklyn a visit Monday and Tuesday of this week and it seems the company is beginning to start active work towards furnishing lights for our citizens with in the next few weeks. One of the men here was looking after the power contracts, while the other furnished estimates for the wiring of business places and homes about town. Another man is to follow these two and it is hoped between all of them they will be able to accommodate at least a few of the most urgent calls in town where they are clamoring for electric lights. The first will be done at the Catholic church where the pipe organ has been installed and lies idle ever since for lack of power to run the motor. An expert has been at this week wiring the building, so it is likely that the organ will be used before long.

Gust Wisner and wife came up from Tuesday to spend the day with West Brooklyn friends. The folks looking natural after the long stay in Switzerland and tell us that their health has been good. They were glad to be back however, as their friends were to see them back. Mr. Wisner had the West Brooklyn News arriving at his home twice every week, each issue, while in Europe, and tipped us off as follows, "It was the most appreciated thing I got from home." He says the paper arrived regularly and that he never missed a single issue, which is a high compliment for the paper when it is considered the great distance of its travel.

Mr. Prentice of the firm of Bernardin & Prentice was over from Compton Wednesday afternoon on business matters.

Henry Canon of Compton visited relatives and friends here Wednesday.

The local high school football team played their first game in the history of the school last Saturday afternoon with the Harmon high school team and were defeated by a score of fifty-six to nothing. The game was a good one after the start and the local players had overcome attacks of stage fright and nervousness. None of the local players had even seen a game before, let alone play in one so in our judgment the boys are deserving of much credit for holding their opponents to a score like that. Clarence White and John Nelles for the home boys did the star playing with the former carrying the ball for several big gains. One or two of the other players also did some good work and with a little more practice and experience will be able to give a good account of themselves to another game.

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## AMBOY ITEMS

Nov. 31—Mrs. Harry C. Barth delightfully entertained a company of ladies at her home Wednesday afternoon with progressive 500. A course luncheon was served later in the afternoon. The hostess was assisted by Misses Lucille and Rachael Entorf in serving.

Miss Clara Jewett is assisting at the postoffice.

Mrs. Anna Klein spent Wednesday in Dixon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Partridge are the happy parents of a baby son, who came to their home on October 23rd.

The display window of the Amboy flower store, of which Miss Clara Weaver has charge, is very prettily decorated with pumpkins and with the green foliage and the attractive vases also on display, attracts much attention.

Mrs. Allen Tait was in Dixon Wednesday.

Almost enjoyable evening was spent at the reception held for Rev. Merrill and family in the parlors of

the M. E. church on Wednesday. Refreshments of coffee, doughnuts and sandwiches and pickles were served and the parlors were attractively decorated for the occasion.

Mrs. Alice Felker expects to come out from Chicago Saturday but will probably return again Sunday noon. She has been making an extended visit in Chicago.

Mrs. J. P. Brierton has returned to her home after several days spent at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl Sartorius, west of town.

The Eastern Star ladies expect to serve supper in the banquet room at Masonic hall on the evening of Nov. 5th.

## STEWART ITEMS

Stewart, Nov. 1.—Price Everett of Montana is visiting old friends here.

Miss Lizzie Hochstrasser went to Seaton a few days ago to attend the funeral of her uncle, Mr. Stevens.

Miss Vivian Stiles spent last week in Savanna.

Mr. and Mrs. Skag were called to Rockford Saturday to see their daughter who met with a serious accident.

Mrs. Samuel Halsey of Bradley is spending the week here with his friends and relatives.

Mrs. Ed Corwin is entertaining a sister from Peoria.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Coon are moving into the cottage of Mrs. Mary Birds on Main street.

Mrs. Lillian Wise of Dixon is spending a week here with relatives.

Mrs. Davis and children went to Maletown Tuesday to visit her parents. The M. E. church people are planning to give a big reception Friday evening for our new pastor, Rev. Dolinger and family.

Mrs. Wesley Steward, S. O. Barnett and Frank Barnett received news Saturday of the death of their sister, Mrs. Helen McClure of Saginaw, Michigan.

Supt. Claude Moore will hold first quarterly conference in the M. E. church, Wednesday, Nov. sixth.

## WALTON ITEMS

Walton, Nov. 1.—Lawrence Dempsey, who underwent an operation for cataract of the eyes, is getting along nicely.

Miss Laura Priebe and Mrs. Amos Head were Amboy shoppers last Saturday.

The F. J. Whitmore house is now completed. The masons have started to plaster.

Quite a number of our citizens are ill with colds.

Miss Ida Cortright of Dixon is spending a couple of weeks with friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Fred Whitmore and sister, of Harmon were here Monday.

Father Cullen of Amboy was here Monday on business.

A large crew of men are busy at work at the new Catholic parsonage work at the new Catholic church. Work is progressing quite rapidly. They expect to have it finished by Thanksgiving.

O. F. July spent Saturday and Sunday with his family at Elgin.

Noble Bros. put in the concrete wall for their store one day last week.

J. J. Morrissey, our implement dealer, is kept busy putting up corn elevators as a large number of the farmers are getting them to save time and labor unloading their corn.

Mrs. Mary Jones went to Rock Falls last Saturday night to stay with her daughter, Mrs. George Logan and family.

Henry Head of Erie arrived here last Friday to spend several weeks in this vicinity.

Mrs. John Burns and son Everett, of Amboy are visiting at Mrs. Thos. Haley's this week.

John Dempsey's farm residence is near completion. The masons are busy plastering.

Mrs. P. H. Morrissey and daughter Lizzie were shopping in Amboy Wednesday.

Thos. Halligan transacted business in Dixon Tuesday.

Hugh Haley transacted business in Dixon Tuesday.

Hugh Haley of Amboy is spending a few days out on his farm.

Chas. Brewster of Dixon transacted business in this vicinity Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Egan, Jr., of Amboy, were entertained at the Chas. Welty home Sunday.

Advertise your public sales in the Dixon Telegraph. Rates one word, 3 times for one cent.

Give the little yellow tag your attention please for a moment.

## SINGER MURDER SUSPECTS CAUGHT

Charles S. Conway and Actress Wife Captured in Lima, O.

## SPIRIT OF PRISONERS BROKEN

Under Severe Grilling by Officers Bravado of Two Is Lost and Woman Breaks Into Sobs—Story Shows Discrepancies.

Lima, O., Nov. 1.—After a relentless grilling, which lasted more than an hour and was conducted by Detective John Egan and James O'Connor of the Chicago detective bureau, who arrived here to take into custody Charles Newton Kramer, alias C. N. Conway, and his snake charmer companion, Beatrice Ryall, also known as Beatrice Kramer, both of whom were charged with the murder of Sophia G. Singer in Chicago last Monday evening, the two prisoners were arrested and are said by the police to be on the verge of a collapse and a complete confession of the crime.

Prisoners Broken in Spirit. Broken in spirit and worn out by the severe examination to which they had been subjected, the two prisoners, whose pursuit since the murder of the Singer woman has kept the police on a goose chase search through three states, were returned to their cells by Chief of Police Vermillion.

Immediately after the examination of the man and woman Detective O'Connor made the following statement:

"I feel that the case is perfectly cleared up with the arrest of these two prisoners and, except for the confessions, which I firmly believe we shall have within a very short time, the mystery is wiped away. I feel certain that we shall have a confession of the entire crime circumstances. The woman is near a breakdown and I feel satisfied that she will acknowledge the crime of which she and her companion stand accused."

Both Chief of Police Vermillion and the Chicago detectives were free in characterizing the explanatory stories of their unusual prisoners as strangely weak, inconsistent and marked by remarkable discrepancies and unusual features which point to their being mainly fiction fabricated by the two show people in an effort to remove the blame which has been placed upon them.

Woman's Memory Is Poor. In telling her story to the police the woman prisoner, while she showed a remarkable willingness to talk at length upon the circumstances of her life since last Monday, when she left Chicago with her companion, displayed an extraordinary weakness to recall important points relative to how she was occupied since Monday.

Lady Clio Kramer told the haughty bravado air of the lion tamer and sobbed with emotion when she was asked to repeat her story. When the Chicago police arrived and she was told that she faced the men who had come to take her back to the city where she will face criminal prosecution under the charge of murdering Miss Singer, the young woman broke down completely. She wept and sobbed and buried her face in her hands.

Gas Bag Picardie Awarded the Coveted Prize in the James Gordon Bennett Contest.

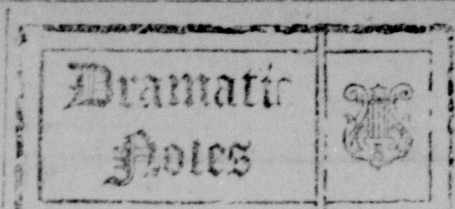
Berlin, Germany, Nov. 1.—France wins the Gordon Bennett international balloon trophy, regardless of the performances of the Duesseldorf and the Ile de France, which have not yet reported. The first of these has been disqualified and even should the Ile de France surpass the record flight of Picardie the prize would be carried off by the French.

It is thought probable that the American balloon Uncle Sam will win second place in the contest, but the exact distances made by the balloons will be ascertainable only when their log books have been submitted to the Geographical Institute at Stuttgart.

Nothing has been heard since Sunday of the Duesseldorf, carrying the American aeronauts, John Watts and A. T. Atherholt, nor of the French balloon, Ile de France, carrying Alfred Le Blanc, and anxiety concerning the aeronauts is beginning to be manifest.

Pursue Three as Robbers. Davenport, Ia., Nov. 1.—Davenport police started in pursuit of three men seen west of the city who, they say, answer the description of men who robbed a Missouri, Kansas & Texas express car of several thousand dollars last Monday near Muskego, Okla.

Cullom's Granddaughter to Wed. Washington, Nov. 1.—The wedding of Miss Eleanor Ridgeley, granddaughter of Senator Cullom, and Dr. Harry Parker of Cullom, will take place in Washington the first week in November.



## Dramatic Notes

## THE GIRL AT THE GATE.

Nearing 100th Performance — Big LaSalle Musical Comedy Is Being Sung, Acted and Danced to the Crowds of Fun-Lovers at Every Performance—Holiday Seats Are Ready.

With no fewer than three of Chicago's first class theatres dark, and with the general managerial complaint of bad business in the playhouses of that city "The Girl at the Gate" in the LaSalle opera house, runs on to crowds that surpass in size and enthusiasm even those that attended the 267 performances of Louisiana Lou. The LaSalle has never before had a hit of anything like



WILLIAM PHILLIPS In "Girl at the Gate" Co., LaSalle Opera House, Chicago.

the proportions of The Girl at the Gate, for, while Louisiana Lou tested the capacity or very near for every one of its performances, it was played there over and over again to what has been looked upon always as the regular LaSalle clientele; whereas The Girl at the Gate has drawn people to Harry Askin's pretty LaSalle opera house in Madison street who have never gone there before. No doubt this change in the character of the attendance at the LaSalle may be largely attributed to the big names that make up the cast. While the LaSalle casts of Louisiana Lou and The Sweetest Girl in Paris were both notable in the matter of talent, it was nevertheless talent that had been developed in the LaSalle and its tributary companies, whereas the cast of The Girl at the Gate is made up of men and women who have been identified prominently with other managements. Thus, Herbert Corbell, the star of The Girl at the Gate, was the star in New York City of The Balkan Princess, and in Chicago of The Girl and the Drummer, Miss Olive Wyndham was Wm. T. Hodge's leading woman in The Man From Home, and a member of the famous company in the New Theatre, New York City. Miss Lucy Weston has been one of the biggest stars in vaudeville both here and in England for the last twelve years; Will Phillips has been the leading comedian for the Henry W. Savage productions in New York and Chicago for seven years; Miss Cathryn Rowe Palmer, a LaSalle product, is now an eccentric comedian of such magnitude and popularity that Mr. Askin obtained her services this season against the bids of F. Ziegfeld, Jr., Klaw & Erlanger, Charles Frohman and Charles B. DeMingham; while William Gaston has been one of the greatest singers, dancers and light comedians of musical extravaganza and vaudeville for the past eight years.

Colonial Theatre—Chicago. The International "Ben-Hur" to Be Staged in Chicago.

All the Oriental splendor of the Indian Durbar which King George V. of England journeyed to Delhi in India to take part in will be brought to the door of Chicago in Klaw & Erlanger's elaborate new production Ben-Hur, which inaugurates an engagement at the Colonial Theatre, Chicago, on Monday, Nov. 11. Never before in the history of the stage has there been so much wealth expended on the presentation of a historical spectacle. Flashing jewels, dazzling armor, magnificent robes, superb draperies, the marvelous rugs of the far East, the costly furnishings of 2000 years ago—all of these things are combined and displayed in the wonderful revival Klaw & Erlanger, the owners of this most wonderful piece of theatrical property, have given it a production

which in magnitude and spectacular grandeur eclipses any production shown up to date on the American stage or seen in the theatre of any other country. The magnitude of scenic settings is of such a nature that there are only a few theatres with stages large enough to accommodate the equipment. Carpenters, electricians and a horde of other workers are now in possession of the Colonial theatre stage, getting ready for the production, and with the curtain does rise on the sole and beautiful scene in the desert where the Wise Men are waiting the signal, the Star of Bethlehem to point them the way to the Messiah, the spectator will view the spectacular achievement of American stagecraft. Klaw & Erlanger, the enormous resources of their theatrical plant in every department building this new equipment, the scenic artists and costumers, the engineers and electricians working for one solid year in combination under the direction of the art and historians, antiquarians, scholars, to accomplish the seemingly impossible—the effacement of mer memories of Ben-Hur productions. With this new spectacle to have built for themselves a moment as enduring as the name Shakespeare in the glories and bibles of the new setting for the greatest story the world has ever known The Tale of the Christ.

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WANTED. Rags, iron, copper, brass and rubbers. Will pay 1 cent per pound for rags; 3c for zinc and lead, 10c for copper and brass; 5 to 7c for rubber. Iron, 40c per 100lbs; stove iron 40c or 100; light brass, 5c; newspapers, 30c per 100; books and magazines, 55c per 100lbs. S. Rubenstein, River St. Phone 413. 34tf

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FOR SALE. Farm of 147 acres situated one-half mile west of milk factory. Suitable for dairy farm. Enquire of W. D. Drew, 90 Peoria Ave. 85tf

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10 acre fruit and poultry farm 1 1/2 miles south of Parkersburg, Ill., on Edwards county line, 80 rods from school and public road, pretty location, land productive and nearly level, 3 room house with closets and cellar, water and pump in house, good well with pump at door; good roomy barn, two hen houses and smoke house. Fruits: 1 1/2 acres strawberries, lots of all kinds of small fruits, 38 cherry trees, some bearing, small orchard, 100 choice bearing grape vines, shade trees at house, farm well fenced and a very nice little home. Will consider a trade for good rental town property in Lee Co. of equal value. Price \$1100; worth more, but wish to spend my days in Lee Co. Y

Owner will consider a trade for property in small town in Lee county not to exceed \$800 in value, balance \$300; can be paid any time in 5 or 10 years; do not price your property too high, only honest valuation considered.

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For sale or trade, at a bargain, 120 acres, small barn and house, four and one-half miles from market, in Lee County, Ill., would accept half trade. Price for short time only \$75.00 per acre.

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FOR SALE. Ladies' gray whip cord suit in excellent condition. Never worn in Dixon. Cost \$40. Will sell for \$12. Size 40. Enquire at this office. 57tf

FOR SALE. Kitchen cabinet good as new. Enquire of Mrs. Cass. Bremer, 218 E. Boyd St. or Phone 13103. 573\*

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Mrs. Theresa Tibbets is now living at the Nachusa House.

FOR SALE. For \$1.00 will send complete list Texas School Land for sale, describing location, name of county, number of acres in each, agricultural, grazing, mineral, timber, price and how to secure, etc. Geo. M. Morse Land Co., Waco, Texas. 2524\*

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### MILLIONS FOR CAMPAIGN

Both the Republican and Democratic Contribution Near \$1,000,000.

Washington, Nov. 1.—Campaign contributions to both the Republican and Democratic national committees came near the \$1,000,000 mark during the last week. Supplemental reports filed here with the clerk of the house of representatives shows that since the first reports were made about a week ago the total Republican contributions have been increased to \$744,688, and the Democratic contributions to \$815,952. In addition the Democratic national committee has borrowed \$40,000.

Woman Dies in Auto Collision.  
Los Angeles, Cal., Nov. 1.—Mrs. John H. Daugherty was killed and her husband, Doctor Daugherty, seriously injured in an automobile collision here. The Daughertys came to California from Indianapolis several years ago. Their son, Prof. Daugherty, is on the faculty of Cornell university.

\$6,000,000 Thief Coming?  
Brussels, Nov. 1.—Nestor Wilmar, manager of the Gand-Terneuzen railroad, who disappeared from here two weeks ago after the discovery of defalcations amounting to \$6,000,000, is thought to be aboard the French line steamer La Provence, which is expected to arrive at New York tomorrow.

### ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R. TIME TABLE, Dixon, Illinois.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. Daily except Sunday

### South Bound.

\*123 Express 11:15 a. m.  
\*131 Clinton Exp 5:09 p. m.  
\*191 Amboy Frt. 8:50 a. m.

### North Bound.

\*132 Ft. Dodge Exp. 9:50 a. m.  
124 Local Mail Daily 5:30 p. m.  
\*192 Freeport Frt. 12:30 p. m.

### CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

### East Bound to Chicago.

No. 6 Lv. Dixon Ar. Chicago  
6:32 a. m. 6:45 a. m.

24 6:23 a. m. 9:05 a. m.

28 7:21 a. m. 10:15 a. m.

8 8:33 a. m. 11:20 a. m.

14 10:55 a. m. 1:30 p. m.

20 11:15 a. m. dly ex Sun 2:40 p. m.

18 4:04 p. m. dly ex Sun 7:25 p. m.

10 4:15 p. m. Sun only 7:25 p. m.

12 6:10 p. m. 8:45 p. m.

### West Bound.

No. 7 Lv. Chicago Ar. Dixon  
7:00 a. m. ex Sun 10:14 a. m.

99 7:30 a. m. Sun only 10:43 a. m.

13 9:30 a. m. 12:06 p. m.

19 12:30 p. m. ex Sun 3:43 p. m.

27 4:35 p. m. 7:33 p. m.

\*11 6:05 p. m. 8:40 p. m.

25 6:10 p. m. 8:57 p. m.

\*1 8:30 p. m. 10:58 p. m.

7 10:16 p. m. 10:53 a. m.

3 10:45 p. m. 1:57 a. m.

801 Peoria Pa. Lv. Dixon 8:35 a. m.

Ar. Peoria 11:52 a. m.

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### INTER-URBAN

West Bound East Bound  
Read Down Read Up  
10:30:50 Assembly Park 20:50:10  
12:33:53 Galena & Fellows 27:47:7  
17:37:57 Galena & First 23:43:3  
20:40:50 Office 20:40:50  
30:50:10 Depots 10:30:50

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	Pay	Sell
Corn	28-30	28-30
Oats	28-30	28-30
Butter	28-30	28-30
Lard	11-15	11-15
Eggs	24-25	28-30
Chickens	18-22	18-22
Potatoes	40-60	40-60

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Range of Prices on Chicago Board  
Chicago, Nov. 1, 1912.

Wheat	Dec	90%	90%	89%	89%
May	96 1/4	96 1/4	95 1/4 S	95 1/4 S	
July	92 1/4	92 1/4	91 1/2	91 1/2	

Corn	Dec	51 1/2	51 1/2	51	51
May	51 1/2	51 1/2	50 1/2 S	50 1/2 S	
July	51 1/2	52 1/4	51 1/4	51 1/4	

Oats				
Dec	31 $\frac{7}{8}$	31 $\frac{7}{8}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$	31 $\frac{1}{2}$
May	33 $\frac{3}{4}$	33 $\frac{3}{4}$ S	33 $\frac{1}{4}$ S	33 $\frac{1}{4}$
July	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	32 $\frac{1}{2}$	33 S	33 S

Pork	Jan	1865	1865	1832	1840
May	1825	1825	1797	1800	
Jan	1070	1070	1055	1060	
May	1025	1027	1017	1022	
Jan	1005	1005	992	995	
May	980	980 S	970	970	

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Dec. 4—Job Reichard, closing out sale, 5 miles north of Woosung road. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Dec. 10—Z. T. Glessner, 5 miles south of Dixon, on the Dutch road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Dec. 11—Leon Hart, closing out sale; 3 miles east of Dixon; Fruin & Pittman, Aucts.

Dec. 12—Chris Johnson, 5 1-2 miles south of Dixon, Ill., on Dutch road. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Dec. 17—Pat Duffy, 1 miles north of Eldena, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Jan. 22—Sam Eakle, Prophets-town, Ill. Duroc brood sow sale. Rep. per, Plumley, Fruin, Aucts.

Jan. 27—Peter Streit, Lamolile, Ill. Duroc brood sow sale. Plumley, Fruin & Powers, Aucts.

Jan. 28—Kuper Ribs, Bellevue, Ia. Duroc brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

Jan. 28—Zimmerman & Kays, at McNaib, Ill. Thoroughbred Duroc brood sow sale. Fruin & Plumley, Aucts.

Jan. 30—Wm. Harkelman, Ellwood, Ia. Thoroughbred Duroc brood sow sale. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

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Feb. 11—Martin Tosney, closing out sale, 6 1-2 miles southwest of Dixon, Fruin & Pittman, Aucts.

Tuesday, Feb. 18—Carl Johnson, 1 mile north of Eldena, Ill. D. M. Fahrney, Auct.

Feb. 19—Adam Taylor, closing out sale, one mile east of Dixon. Geo. Fruin, Auct.

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Bulgarians, Under Gen. Savoff, Now Have Constantinople at Their Mercy.

## THRACE BATTLE IS DECISIVE

Ottoman Forces, 200,000 Strong, Flee Panic-Stricken Before Onslaughts of Enemy—Nazim Pasha Is Reported Captured.

London, Nov. 1.—A dispatch from Sofia states that Nazim Pasha, Turkish minister of war and commander-in-chief of the Turkish army, was captured by Bulgarians following the Turkish defeat at Lule Burgas.

London, Nov. 1.—A four days' battle in Thrace has ended in the triumph of the Bulgarian commander-in-chief, General Savoff, whose skillful strategy has brought to a close one of the shortest and most remarkable wars on record.

A great Turkish army, estimated at more than 200,000 men, has been defeated and is in retreat, leaving many dead and wounded on the field.

Constantinople is believed to be at the mercy of the victorious Bulgarian army, and a council, sitting at the palace, is discussing the advisability of suing for peace.

Such is the news which comes from Constantinople.

Fifty Miles From Constantinople. The Bulgarian crusaders are less than fifty miles west of Constantinople—prepared to strike.

Two hundred thousand Ottoman troops, their battle line of 31 miles broken, their right flank pressed back until the left wing of the enemy has almost a clear path to the capital along the Black Sea, are trying to concentrate for a final stand.

Turkish Army Demoralized. The Mohammedan armies seem now to be fighting for a lost cause. Their right wing has been turned by the daring Bulgarian flanking movement; their left wing has been backed to the Sea of Marmora at Thauri. Their battle line is a scraggly, triangular front, vulnerable at any given point. What four days ago was a formidable offensive front, stretching straight between the invaders and the capital, is now a weak defensive wedge. The exact positions of the opposing armies are as follows:

The Turks' battle line extends from Thauri, ten miles from the Sea of Marmora, and 65 miles from Constantinople, northeast 25 miles to Sarai, and southeast about 20 miles to Israndia. This line forms almost a perfect triangle.

Bulgarians Drive Turks Back. On this new front, the Bulgarians having captured Lule Burgas, are bearing down from the west and from the north, a great army divided into compact units.

In three days' incessant fighting the Bulgarians have driven the Turks back approximately 21 miles.

Powers to Stop Massacres. Massacres of innocent Christians in the villages through which the defeated Mohammedans pass in flight before the forces of the allies are reported here in dispatches from Vranje and other points. Scores of villages have been burned and their inhabitants slain.

Further and more violent massacres are feared if the allies enter Salonika and Constantinople. To prevent such a horrible finale of the Balkan war the powers are already taking protective measures. Acting with the sanction of the other powers, France is sending the second division of the flying squadron to the Syrian coast, the vessels having sailed from Toulon.

Witness Hits Hockin Tells of Labor Chief's Alleged Plot to "Get" W. J. Burns.

Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 1.—Edward J. Brennan, special agent of the department of justice, on the witness stand in federal court here in the dynamite case, testified that H. S. Hockin, in the office of District Attorney Miller, had told Miller and him of a plot to "get" W. J. Burns and Walter Drew, and had told of turning over to Miller a check for a package at the Union station. The package obtained on this check was exhibited in court. It contained forty feet of fuse, with dynamite caps and a small alarm clock.

## 3,000 TROOPS FOR STRIKE

Soldiers Guard Jacksonville, Fla., When Riots Grip City.

Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 1.—As a result of disorders and rioting in connection with the street car strike, Governor Gilchrist has ordered out the first and second regiments, state troops, comprising about three thousand men. The four local companies went on guard early.

Income Tax Near Ratification. Washington, Nov. 1.—Thirty-two states have notified Secretary Knox of their ratification of the proposed income tax amendment of the federal constitution and four have notified the state department of their rejection. To become effective thirty-six states—three-fourths of those in the union—must ratify it.

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Edwardsville, Nov. 1.—The spectacular homecoming to Edwardsville in a \$5,000 automobile of Jacob Hoskins, whilom country boy, but now a reputed millionaire, was marred by the speed of his exit in an effort to avoid an attachment for the price of his wedding suit made thirteen years ago. Samuel L. Fox, a St. Louis tailor, who made the wedding suit; Frederick Bonn, a grocer, who owns a battered wagon, which stood in the way of the triumphal entrance; Constable Edwards Cobine, who served the attachment papers, and Justice James B. Dale, who was all ready to adjudicate them, are deeply interested in the whereabouts of the beautiful car and its occupants and have wired over the surrounding country for information.

Hold Fight in Danville.

Danville, Nov. 1.—Just across the public square from the courthouse and one block from the police station a fierce fight of three rounds was fought between Art McCormick and an unknown from Chicago. When the police raided a Danville gymnasium, Tom Shepard, chief deputy sheriff of Vermillion county, was referee and ordered the fight to be resumed after the police had once stopped it in the first round. Arrests are promised by the police, as a strict ruling against even an exhibition of boxing has been enforced since the advent of Tony Caponi three years ago.

Robbed at Point of Revolver.

Chicago, Nov. 1.—Two men entered the restaurant of John Zegoras, 2005 West Lake street, and while one of them held Zegoras at bay with a revolver the other rifled the cash drawer of \$200. The latter then went through the pockets of Zegoras' clothes and got \$1.95 more. Both then ran out of the restaurant and west in Lake street to Hoyne avenue, where they turned north and disappeared. Zegoras seized a revolver and chased the men half a block, firing shots at them, but they drew away from him and he gave up the pursuit.

Dougherty Gives Bonds.

Peoria, Nov. 1.—Newton C. Dougherty secretly came to Peoria, gave bond for his appearance when called to trial, and returned to his home in Chicago. Twelve thousand dollars was given, \$1,000 on each of the twelve indictments which had been returned against him. The National Surety company of New York went on his bond for \$5,000, while Dennis A. Cray, a Chicago friend, appeared for the remaining \$7,000.

Jury Says Neglect But Lays No Blame.  
Decatur, Nov. 1.—The coroner's jury at Worden returned the verdict that Clyde Smith, J. B. Dorris and J. N. Schmidt met death in the wreck of a Wabash freight train and a Wabash work train, when the two trains collided about one and one-half miles south of Worden. The jury returned the verdict that the wreck was due to neglect, but did not ascribe the neglect to any man or set of men.

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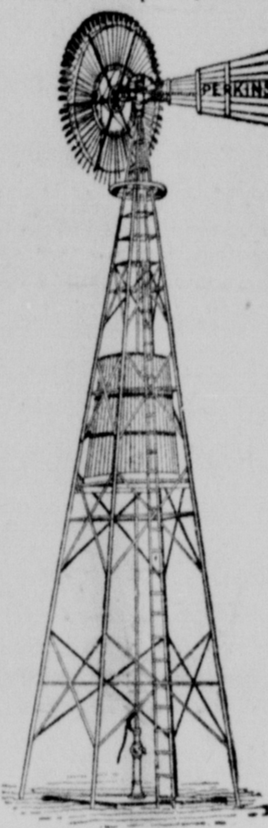
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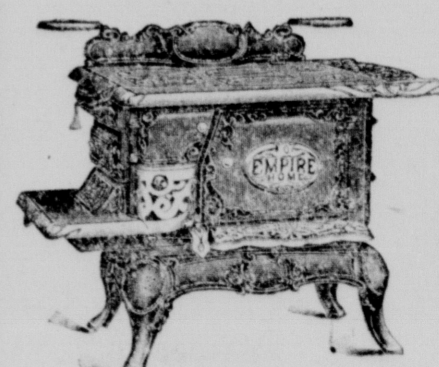
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